



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

March 20, 2013

VIA FIRST CLASS MAIL

Marc E. Elias
Perkins Coie
700 Thirteenth Street, NW, Suite 600
Washington, DC 20005

RE: MUR 6722
Dr. Raul Ruiz for Congress and Treasurer

Dear Mr. Elias:

This is in response to your letter dated March 19, 2013, which we received that day requesting an extension to respond to the complaint filed in the above-noted matter. After considering the circumstances presented in your letter, the Office of General Counsel will grant the requested extension contingent upon receiving the Designation of Counsel forms. Accordingly, your responses and Designation of Counsel forms are due by the close of business on or before April 22, 2013.

If you have any questions, please contact me on our toll-free telephone number, (800) 424-9530. Our local telephone number is (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Frankie D. Hampton".

Frankie D. Hampton, Paralegal
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